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Subject: FW: Response Needed: Preliminary Search Results for ED_006145_EPA-R7-2021-006415 FOIA_2145

Good morning everyone,

Below are the preliminary search results for the 6415 FOIA (please note, this final number will likely be higher).

Please let me know if you have any edits or comments before I confirm the search with EDD.

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Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 8:20 AM

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Subject: Response Needed: Preliminary Search Results for ED_006145_EPA-R7-2021-006415 FOIA_2145

Hello,

The Pre-Case Assessment (PCA) for ED_006145_EPA-R7-2021-006415 FOIA_2145 is complete. To proceed with this collection, please:

- 1. Confirm the search criteria listed below is correct; and
- 2. Confirm that the estimated results provided are acceptable to you and/or the subject matter expert for this matter.

Once we receive your confirmation, we will execute the search as outlined below. **Please allow us up to 10 business days to deliver your workspace.** As always, this delivery timeframe is also assuming we do not encounter any collection or processing issues along the way.

This PCA provides you with the opportunity, if needed, to further refine or adjust your search request, communicate with the requestor, and/or plan for the review of documents once they have been loaded into a Relativity workspace. Your eDAT case manager is an excellent source to help guide you through this process – please reach out to them with any questions or concerns you have.

PLEASE NOTE: For tracking purposes, changes to a search request after a PCA has been delivered will require the submission of a supplemental request. Please reach out to your eDAT case manager for assistance.

The following search criteria were executed to run this PCA, and if confirmed, will be used to execute the final collection:

Email for the following 14 custodians:

Bednar.Candace@epa.gov Beringer.Michael@epa.gov Buckner.Edwin@epa.gov
Chu.Ed@epa.gov
Cozad.David@epa.gov
Davis.Mike@epa.gov
Ferguson.Doug@epa.gov
Green.Jamie@epa.gov
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Ruiz.Adam@epa.gov
Tapia.Cecilia@epa.gov
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Date Range:

2/22/2021 - 9/8/2021

Keywords:

"Pesticide" AND ("AltEn" OR "Alt-En")
"Treated seed"
"Water" AND ("AltEn" OR "Alt-En")
"Pesticide" AND "treated seed"
"AltEn"

"lagoon"

"land application"

Participant Search:

"Nebraska.gov"

PLEASE NOTE: An additional day has been added to the beginning and end of the date range submitted in your search request to account for UTC (Coordinated Universal Time). For example, if the date range of your search request is April 1, 2021 – April 15, 2021, then EDD will search a date range of March 31, 2021 – April 16, 2021. (UTC is a time standard used to set time zones around the world. UTC is the industry standard for eDiscovery, including the tools used at EPA, the Microsoft Compliance Center and Relativity.)

Your search request, as outlined above, returned an estimated 891 items.

It is important to note that this estimate is for the Microsoft Outlook email collection ONLY, and represents the number of documents (either emails or attachments) in which one or more of your search terms were found. This estimate is based on document "families," which means an email and its attachments will be counted as one search hit in your PCA number. The final number of potentially responsive documents will likely be **2-3 times larger** once loaded into the Relativity database where attachments are counted as separate items.

Again, if you have any questions, concerns, or would like assistance in reviewing the results of this PCA or in strategies for your search or review, please reach out to your eDAT case manager.

Thank you, eDiscovery Assistance Team